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Applicant: Zurit LEVINE et al. Conf.: 8061

Appl. No.: 09/771,161 Group: 1652

Filed: January 26, 2001 Examiner: Unassigned

For: VARIANTS OF PROTEIN KINASES

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

October 20, 2003 (Monday)

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated August 19, 2003, the period for response having been extended one month to expire on October 19, 2003, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

REMARKS

Restriction to one of the inventions of Group I-VIII has been required by the Examiner under 35 U.S.C. 121. The requirement for restriction is respectfully traversed. Reconsideration and withdrawal thereof are requested.

Applicants elect the invention of Group II, claims 3, 33 and 12-14 (in part) in order to initiate prosecution in the present application. Applicants respectfully request that the invention of Group VI, claims 24-27, be rejoined upon allowance of the invention of Group II. When Applicants elect product claims that are subsequently found to be allowable, the withdrawn process claims which depend from or otherwise include all the limitations

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